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Title of Invention: Virtual Trading Floor System  
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The abstract is a good summary of the invention. Independent claims are 1,34,35, 36,37 & 40.

The invention is a Trader training system that uses trader metaphors for a number of real life events on a commodity trading floor, human metaphorical hand signals, relative position & size of human/trader metaphors on trading floor (forward) & (backward) visual price designation arranged in rows seller & bid, selling & buying, graphical interface, trading simulator, virtual.

virtual metaphor simulation of body movements by computer, related to open outcry trading of commodities & options

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